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Subject OSRAM Sylvania Inc. PAD003046794.... Memo to the file..Construction Complete

Osram Sylvania Inc. 1 Jackson Street Wellsboro, Pennsylvania 16901 EPA ID#: PAD003046794

- * 1985 Osram removed Approx. 85 cubic yards of chromium contaminated soils
- * 1993 Osram entered into an Order with EPA to monitor ground-water on-site, twice per year for three years (facility had already been monitoring groundwater for 10 years prior to the Order)
- * March 5, 2003 Public Notice was issued
- * 2004 Osram records deed restriction on property.
- * 2006 Three years of semi-annual groundwater monitoring is complete per the Order. Groundwater results for hexavalent chromium and arsenic are below the PADEP non-use MSC numbers and below EPA RBC tap water thresholds. Monitoring results indicate the plume within the property lines is remaining stable. Historical groundwater monitoring at the facility over the last thirteen years suggests that hexavalent chromium in the groundwater is attenuating through natural reduction processes, and does not pose a threat to either human health or the environment. It appears that all obligations of the 1993 order have been met.

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